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Section	16	Comprehensive health plan for infants (N.J.A.C. 10:127-10.16)	

§10:127-10.16 Comprehensive health plan for infants

(a) The facility shall ensure that infants are referred to the Supplemental Feeding Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) and make necessary follow-up, or document that the infant was ineligible for WIC.

(b) Unless contraindicated by the infant's physician, the facility shall ensure that adolescent mothers adhere to the following schedule in obtaining health care for infants:

1. At age one month, the infant receives:
 - i. A physical examination including height, weight, temperature check, and measurement of head and chest circumference; and
 - ii. A check for PKU, if indicated;
2. Between two and two and one-half months of age, the infant receives:
 - i. A physical examination, as specified in (b)1i above; and
 - ii. Immunization for diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (DPT) and Trivalent Oral Polio Vaccine (TOPV);
3. Between three and one-half and four months, the infant receives a physical examination, and immunizations as specified in (b)2 above;
4. Between five and six months, the infant receives:
 - i. A physical examination, as specified in (b)1i above;
 - ii. Immunization for DPT; and
 - iii. A developmental assessment;
5. Between eight and nine months, the infant receives:
 - i. A physical examination, as specified in (b)1i above;

- ii. A hemoglobin test; and
 - iii. A sickle cell screening, if indicated;
- 6. Between 11 and 12 months, the infant receives:
 - i. A physical examination, as specified in (b)1i above;
 - ii. A developmental assessment; and
 - iii. A tuberculin test;
- 7. At 15 months, the infant receives:
 - i. A physical examination, as specified in (b)1i above;
 - ii. Immunizations for rubella and measles; and
 - iii. At 15 or 16 months, immunization for mumps;

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